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Dear Ms Stagg,

Decision Regulation Impact Statement on Reforms for the Disability Standards for Accessible Public Transport 2002

Thank you for forwarding the amended draft of the above Regulation Impact Statement (RIS), received by the Office of Best Practice Regulation (OBPR) on 7 October 2021.

The RIS sets out a cohesive set of options for each of the reform areas, and quantifies impacts of the options on stakeholders to the extent possible. Preferred options are justified using both stakeholder consultation and cost-benefit analysis.

The OBPR considers that the RIS guidelines, as set out in *Regulatory Impact Analysis Guide for Ministerial Councils and National Standard Setting Bodies (May 2021)*, have been followed and that the RIS contains an adequate level of analysis, commensurate with the significance of the impacts for a Decision RIS.

If you have any queries please call me on 6271 6270.

Yours sincerely

Jason Lange Executive Director 14 October 2021